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SUBJECT: ISRAELI EXPULSION ISSUE

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1. NAC CONTINUES TO FOCUS ATTENTION ON MIDDLE EAST QUESTION.
OUTCOME OF ISRAELI EXPULSION ISSUE IS STILL UNCERTAIN.

2. AUGUST 27 PUBLIC AND PRIVATE STATEMENTS OF SOME DELEGATES
INDICATED THAT MODERATE EFFORT TO MODIFY SYRIAN EXPULSION RESOLU-
TION (REFTEL) MAY BE SUCCESSFUL. YUGOSLAVIA'S ASSISTANT FEDERAL
SECRETARY FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS TOLD EUROPEAN DIPLOMAT IN CONFIDENCE
THAT MIDDLE EAST RESOLUTION WILL BE "NO WORSE THAN KAMPALA".
YUGOSLAV ALSO CLAIMED THAT INITIATIVE OF PERUVIAN FOREIGN MINISTER
DE LA FLOR TO FORM AN AD-HOC COMMITTEE ON MIDDLE EAST QUESTION
WAS YUGOSLAV-INSPIRED. HE NOTED THAT EXPANDING THE COMMITTEE
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BEYOND THE ORIGINAL 22 MEMBERS IS AN EFFORT TO COUNTER-BALANCE

ARABS SO THAT AD-HOC COMMITTEE PROPOSAL TO POLITICAL COMMITTEE WOULD BE TONED DOWN VERSION, AT LEAST, OF SYRIAN RESOLUTION.

3. ALTHOUGH CONGOLESE FOREIGN MINISTER GANAO MADE STRONG STATEMENT IN PLENARY CALLING FOR ISRAELI EXPULSION FROM UN, ISRAELI EMBASSY TOLD US THAT THEY ARE SOMEWHAT ENCOURAGED BY FACT THAT "THIS EXTREMIST" ON MIDDLE EAST QUESTION LATER STATED THAT THE CONGO WAS READY TO SUPPORT THE PALESTINIAN INITIATIVE (SIMILAR TO SYRIAN ONE) BUT THAT THIS (NAC) WAS NOT THE PROPER TIME TO DO SO.

4. ISRAELIS ARE ALSO ENCOURAGED BY INDICATION THAT FOREIGN MINISTER DE LA FLOR IS PLAYING A MORE INFLUENTIAL ROLE THAN HAD BEEN ANTICIPATED. HIS AD-HOC COMMITTEE INITIATIVE AND BEHIND-THE-SCENES EFFORTS TO DEFUSE ISRAELI EXPULSION ISSUE (SO THAT NAC CAN CONCENTRATE ON PERUVIAN ECONOMIC CONCERNS) SEEMS TO BE SUCCEEDING IN PART.

5. GUYANA'S FOREIGN MINISTER FREDERICK WILLS ALSO DISCUSSED ISRAELI ISSUE. HIS PUBLIC STATEMENT WAS MORE HARSH THAN THE ISRAELIS HAD EXPECTED. HOWEVER, WE HAVE BEEN INFORMED BY NEWS SOURCES THAT HE LATER CLAIMED THE SYRIAN PROPOSAL WOULD NOT PASS.

6. EMBASSY HAS OBTAINED A COPY OF THE "LIMA PROGRAM FOR MUTUAL ASSISTANCE AND SOLIDARITY" WHICH INCLUDES DRAFT STATEMENT ON THE MIDDLE EAST. DOCUMENT WAS PROBABLY ELABORATED IN LIMA WITH SIGNIFICANT PERUVIAN INPUT AND THE RESOLUTION ON ISRAEL APPEARS TOO SOFT TO GAIN ARAB ACCEPTANCE. FULL TEXT OF THIS DOCUMENT IS BEING SENT SEPARATELY. OPERATIVE PARAGRAPH ON MIDDLE EAST CALLS FOR QUOTE IMMEDIATE APPLICATION OF RESOLUTION 338 OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL (1973) AND OF RESOLUTION 3236 (XXIX) OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AND THEIR AGREEMENT IN THE SENSE THAT CONDITIONS FOR PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST SHOULD TAKE INTO ACCOUNT IMMEDIATE AND UNCONDITIONAL WITHDRAWAL OF ISRAEL FROM ALL TERRITORIES OCCUPIED SINCE JUNE 5, 1967 AND FULL EXERCISE BY THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE OF ALL ITS NATIONAL RIGHTS INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO RETURN TO ITS MOTHERLAND AND THE RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION END QUOTE.

7. THE STATEMENT GOES ON TO NOTE "POSITIVE EVENTS" IN MIDDLE EAST SUCH AS RE-OPENING OF SUEZ CANAL AND RENEWAL OF UN MANDATE.
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STATEMENT CALLS FOR DIRECT NON-ALIGNED CONTRIBUTION TO PEACE EFFORTS IN MIDDLE EAST THROUGH REPRESENTATION OF NON-ALIGNED SATISFACTION WITH THE RECOGNITION BY UNGA OF THE PLO AS THE SOLE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE.
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